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Title: Medical Information System, Method
And Article Of Manufacture
Examiner: M. Bell
Art Unit: 2121

INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

1. A telephonic interview occurred on October 22, 2004. Examiner Meltin Bell, SPE Anthony Knight and the undersigned participated in the telephonic interview.
2. A discussion of the 35 U.S.C. 101 rejection of claim 13 occurred. The examiners noted they would like the phrase "computer implemented" added to line 1 of claim 13. A brief discussion transpired regarding the reason the examiners desire addition of that phrase. The undersigned agreed to consider advising the inventor to add the proposed phrase.
3. A discussion of the 35 U.S.C. 103(a) rejection occurred. The undersigned described the invention and noted that Feinberg does not suggest limitations found in the independent claims. The examiners agreed to consider further the claims and Feinberg, and provide their thoughts next week.

4. The examiners noted that some modifications may be needed to claims 6 and 7 in order to make them flow better with claim 1. The undersigned agreed to consider further claims 6 and 7.

5. The undersigned greatly appreciates the time taken and effort expended by the examiners to consider the claims and their patentability.

Respectfully submitted,

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